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DRAFT EXECUTIVE ORDER

PRESIDENT'S COMMUNICATIONS POLICY BOARD

By virtue of the authority vested in me as President of the United States, it is hereby ordered as follows:

1. There is hereby created a board to be known as the President's Communications Policy Board which shall be composed of a chairman and two (four) other members to be designated by the President.

2. It shall be the function of the Board to study the use now being made of radio and wire communications facilities by governmental and non-governmental agencies and to make and present to the President evaluations and recommendations in the national interest concerning (a) policies for the most effective use of radio frequencies by governmental and non-governmental users and alternative administrative arrangements in the Federal Government for the sound effectuation of such policies, (b) policies with respect to international radio and wire communications, (c) the relationship of Government communications to non-government communications, and (d) such related policy matters as the Board may determine.

3. The Board is authorized to hear and consult with representatives of industry and the Federal Government concerned with the subjects under study by the Board. All executive departments and

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agencies of the Federal Government are authorized and directed to cooperate with the Board in its work and to furnish the Board such information as it may require in the performance of its duties. The Board shall protect the security of any classified information submitted to it.

4. Each member of the Board shall, while away from his home or regular place of business, receive actual traveling expenses and per diem in lieu of subsistence in accordance with rates established by the Standardized Government Travel Regulations, as amended.

5. The expenditures of the Board shall be financed out of an allotment made by the President from the appropriation appearing under the heading "Emergency Fund for the President" in the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1950 (Public Law 266, approved August 24, 1949). The Board is hereby terminated as of a date to be fixed by the Chairman, which date shall in no event be later than June 30, 1950.

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